

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Rhodes et al.		
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FOR:	Computer Backups Using Unused Disk Space	Examiner:	Pham, Hung Q.

Response to Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 27, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejection(s) of the claims in view of the remarks that follow.